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SUBJECT: PL 480 RICE FOR SYRIA

1. YOU MAY WISH TO ADVISE HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS OF PROPOSED FY 1976 PROGRAM WITH SYRIA OF 35,000 MT RICE VALUED AT 9.7 MILLION DOLLARS. TERMS WOULD INCLUDE 5 PERCENT INITIAL PAYMENT, TWO PERCENT CURRENCY USE PAYMENT, WITH REPAYMENT IN APPROXIMATELY 19 EQUAL ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS FOLLOWING TWO-YEAR GRACE PERIOD. INTEREST WOULD BE TWO PERCENT DURING GRACE PERIOD, RISING TO THREE PERCENT THEREAFTER.

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2. USUAL MARKETING REQUIREMENT WOULD BE 30,000 MT BASED UPON FIVE-YEAR AVERAGE OF COMMERCIAL IMPORTS BY SYRIA FROM FREE WORLD SOURCES AS FOLLOWS (IN 1,000 METRIC TONS FOR CALENDAR YEARS 1971 THROUGH 1975): 44; 35; 25; 23; 31. EGYPT HAS BEEN THE MAJOR FREE WORLD SUPPLIER. NO IMPORTS ARE RECORDED FROM EITHER BURMA OR THAILAND.

3. WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING ANY COMMENTS NO LATER THAN COB FEBRUARY 2, 1976. SISCO

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